OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
JULY 1973 EDITION
GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (C)

DATE: 10/8/75

FROM : SA LUTHER P. BRANNON

SUBJECT: MURKIN

On 9/30/75, Bureau Supervisor JACK LAWN telephonically requested that Birmingham determine if a warrant for the arrest of JAMES EARL RAY is still outstanding.

On 10/1/75, Deputy Clerk of USDC, Birmingham, CHARLES BROWNLEE, advised that BERNARD FENSTERWALD, Attorney for JAMES EARL RAY filed a motion requesting that complaint be dismissed. On 12/2/71 U. S. Commissioner R. MACEY TAYLOR granted the motion and the complaint charging RAY with violation of the civil rights of MARTIN LUTHER KING was dismissed. On 12/9/71 the warrant was returned to the Clerk of the Court unexecuted.

44-1740-2222

SEARCHED INDEXED
SERIALIZED FILED
OCT 8 1975
FBI — BIRMINGHAM

LPB:bhn
(1)

5010-110

Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan